

Remarks

In a conference call on June 19, 2009 with Examiner Nickerson, claim 22 was found to be allowable providing that Section 112 indefiniteness was cured and providing that the preamble was amended to refer to apparatus (machine) in view of In re Bilski. Claims 1-21 are cancelled. The claim amendments made herein are those discussed with the Examiner. No new matter has been added.

Conclusion

Applicants thank the Examiner for helpful comments.
A Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

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